

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Trent Martin Woodruff *et al.*

Application Number: 10/531,564

Filed: November 1, 2005

For: TREATMENT OF INFLAMMATORY
BOWEL DISEASE

Confirmation Number: 1407

Examiner: Khanna, Hemant

Group Art Unit: 1654

Attorney Docket Number: **36677.33**

1. AMENDMENT; 2. RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED MAY 26, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendment. A response to the Official Action (Restriction Requirement and Species Election) dated May 26, 2006 ("the Action"), is also submitted, and the Examiner is requested to consider the remarks and enter the election therein. Applicants believe that the present materials place the claims in condition for initial examination on the merits and consideration of the amendment and remarks herein is respectfully requested.

A Petition for an Extension of Time of Five Months to and including November 27, 2006 (November 26, 2006 being a Sunday), is included herewith to render the amendment and response timely submitted. Should any additional fees be deemed necessary for any reason in connection with the present submission, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any necessary amounts from Deposit Account No. 08-1394, Order No. 38871.33.